

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1187

By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Donald Todd for his meritorious service to the State of Tennessee and Morgan County.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially honor the memory of those citizens who, through unwavering dedication and unflagging commitment to excellence, distinguished themselves as community leaders; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is the late Donald Todd, who devoted himself to the improvement of the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, throughout his lifetime, Mr. Todd dedicated himself to the conservation of the natural beauty of Morgan County, as he often volunteered his time and leadership abilities on behalf of many local, state, and national conservation projects important to the residents of Morgan County; and

WHEREAS, Donald Todd communicated this knowledge of Morgan County's rich natural, historical, and cultural heritage during many decades of service as an educator, a Boy Scout Scoutmaster, and as Morgan County Historian; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Todd's tireless efforts garnered him numerous accolades, including the Morgan County Lifetime Achievement Award, which he received in 2000; in recognition of his unparalleled contributions to Morgan County, a parcel of land south of the Emory River in Morgan County recently has been dedicated as the Emory River/Donald Todd Tract; and

WHEREAS, Donald Todd, as a man of true character and commitment, exemplified the type of selfless community servant and civic leader who fellow Tennesseans admire for their unflagging efforts to make Tennessee a better place in which to live; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor the memory of Donald Todd for his substantial legacy as

an exemplary community leader, conservationist, and a stalwart public servant, fondly remembering his dedication to Morgan County and the State as a whole.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.